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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Applicant : Anthony John Bell et al.  
Serial No. : 09/784,980  
Filed : February 16, 2001  
For : TASTE MODIFIED HARD  
CONFECTIONERY COMPOSITIONS  
CONTAINING FUNCTIONAL  
INGREDIENTS  
Examiner : Robert A. Madsen  
Art Unit : 5253  
Attorney Docket No. : 5641C1-07-LAV

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February 16, 2006

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action of November 17, 2005.

Please amend the application as follows: